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names of proposed new Members. NOTICE.

JULE ANNUAL MEETING of the SHARE-HOLDERS in and SUBSCRIBERS to the CITY HALL will be held in the LIBRARY of the City Hall, at Half-past Twelve o'clock, TO MORROW (SATURDAY), the 22nd day of DECEMBER instant. H. L. DENNYS.

Secretary. Hongkong, 21st December, 1894. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

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Hongrong, DECEMBER 21st. 1394.

The N. Ct. I. steamer Bormed : left Singapore for five years. It is very difficult for us to me that it would be well to give to any gentlemen yesterday for this port, and may be expected here on or about the 23th inst.

The memorial stone of the Kawlo a Institute

The Hongkoug Fouth it Club will play the Porpulo Dapot this afternoon in the Happy ! Valley. Kick off at 4.30. Club in white, Torpedo Depot in usual colours.

Preceptory Sir Knight R. Cooks was sleeted The Committee has received letters from various Eminent Proceptor for the annuing year and Sir persons who have been assisted, and they all ex-Knight J. W. Kinghorn was re-elected Tres. press grateful thanks for what was done for them.

column Mr. J. J. Francis will address the "Odd of these has been very considerable, because no from attending to-day. The fact is he is en- it opens up a big question. I will propose that Volumes" this afternoon on "Current opinion onse, I understand, is ever relieved without an in- gaged in the Sanitary Board considering the he should not be allowed to take new work.

In a private letter from Mr. W. H. Rend says the Singapore Free Press, it is stated that there is some reason to believe that the boing Government have the intention of making "all the Colonies" contribute to Imperial defence.

D'Arc's Marionottes have returned to the colony for another season and have secured a afte for their show on the Reclamation in front of to say that the balance in hand it only would require some time for consideration of the the Cricket Ground, where a temporary theatre is \$320 92. This is a somwellar smaller sum than Bill.

rather beforehand in attributing to the P. and O. such eminently economical lines. Before sub Excellency I think, further dilay in this matter Company the intention to introduce some drastic mitting the report and accounts for adoption, it is to be deprecated. This Ordinance has been changes in its service, which in point of fact does not occur to me that there is much else for in the hands of the unofficial members a long there is no reason I'r supposing that it outens me to notice, but I am glad to remark in time-I think I am within the mark when I plates. Forement among these ramours is the reference to what I have already said with re- say two months. It is view important that the assertion that has been pretty confidently made, gard to the grateful, acknowledgment of the as- Bill should be presed without any further delay that from the beginning of next year the Direct sistance afforded by this Society to persons who and seeing that next work there are two holitors intend to shelish the present distinction be- have been sent to their friends, that our of these days under statute when the Council, cannot tween 1st and 2nd class, and to charge each pis- has refunded the sum of \$2 to, being the amount meet I think it most important we should meet senger on the American system according to the exp aded for his assistance. I think that this on Saturday. accommodation he chooses to take. This change one item alone ought to be matter of encourage. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-L should just Secretary of State regarding the report of the would no doubt be a popular one for the general in the good work at this Society as showing what the position of this Bill is. Prior to the matter. those who are now thinking of taking their past to no purpose (Applanse). I would also remark, was read a first time in the Legislative sages for the forthcoming apring season if the ladies and gentlemen, that the balance would have Council and published in the Casette, Now, I Public Health Bill. In Section 13, dealing with

Instrates the chivalrous spirit in which the Jar are leaving will be very much missed. I cannot try to meet the views of those who have made make by-laws in regard to certain matters, the process are conducting the war than the following doubt that all present would wish me to express representations on the subject. I think it following was added to the summeration of the very great regret and sorrow which is felt must be a month sines the Bill in the form. For regulating the construction of basements from Tientsin. When Captain Calder, farmerly for the removal by death of a lady who has given it left and then was referred to the Director and prescribing the nature and extent of their harbour-master at Port Arthur, was forced to her services so devotedly to the good work of the of Public Work, and the Hon. Mr. Chater, occupation. In section 6, the consideration of leave that place, in the burry of his departure he Society, and to express our sympathy with the the senior anofficial member, in order that which was left over at the last meeting, the had to l'are behind him a quantity of property of friends who have sustained this sad becavement. they might consider it carefully and that I words " unless by permission of the Boars" were various kinds, including a very valuable sporting (Applease). I beg to propose that the report and might have the benefit in redrafting it of substituted for the conditions specified in the gun which he had just got out from England coounts as presented to this meeting be adopted their advice. They sent in their report draft Bill as authorizing the use of basements gave up all those things for lost, supposing Mr. Wodenouse seconded very reasonably that they would be seized by the victors as fair spoils of war; but

at Vancouver on Wednesday morning.

Meases. Schimmel & Co., of Leipzig and New York, in their semi-annual report, thus refer to services. the market for star-apiso oil :- This article is very scarce in Europe and a high price must be compliment. paid for it. Business in star eniss oil generally The Rev. A. G. Goldsmith then said—I are varied. There are men who have property has been sold in advance. Under such circum-

There is a certain village in the Midlands, writes a home paper, where the illness of the Ameer of Afghaniatun has been followed with painful anxiety. The reason is to be found in the following carious, but perfectly authentic, story :-- ome years ago an enterprising young tailor laft the village in question, and went abroad to seek his fortune. He eventually found- his way to Cabul. Here great luck awaited him. He obtained the patronage of Royalty, and became the Pools of Afghaniatan. He had left a sweetheart behind him in England, and as soon as he found bimself ou the road to fortune he sent for the damsel to join him. She came, but here fortune deserted the tailor. His intended bride in har turn obtained the patronage of Royalty, with the result that she eventually became one of the 300 wives of Abduerahman. This, however, is only the first not in the tragedy. It is understood that, by the laws of Afghanistan, when the Ameer dies, the whole of his 300 wives must be shot. The laws of the Afghans are as immutable as those of their ancient neighbours, the Medes and Porsians, and the whole of the BISBURTS, ORANGE PASTE, R LLS, lish wife was born, and where her parents are still living, has been during the last week or two in a bigh state of excitement over the possible fate of the young laty. Fortmustely, the Ameer scenes better now, and it is to be hoped, if only for the sake of his wives [ whatever their nationality) that the improvement may continue. In the meantime, cannot diplomany do anything Councils. for the young woman?

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 19th December. THE WAR.

The Japanese troops have attacked and bay tured Takubekju and Hai Cheng; the Chinese retiring to Line Yang.

MORE SCAPEG ATS. Chinese Imperial Decrees have ordered the the verbiage, as the matter is some that techniacrest of numerous Generals in connection will the loss of Port Arthur and Tallien wan. Ad miral Ting has also been arrested for cowardide cil en the last occasion, though I was not in a posiin failing to protect Port Arthur.

The Budget report to the Egyptian Council tates that the condition of the follaheen is deaperate owing to over taxation.

HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

the following gentlemen were present :- Right wording. Ray. Bishop Burdon, Capt. G. C. Anderson, Rev. R. F. Cobbold, Rev. A G. Goldsmith. Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, and Mr. G. Sharp. Apologies were intimated from Mrs. Burdon

and Mrs. Master. The CHAIRMAN, in proposing the adoption of the report and accounts for the past year, soid- ing of the Telegraphic Messages Bill. Ladies and gentlemen, it gives me very great pleasure to be present here to day and to prefor assistance and who have been sent on their At the last regular meeting of the Victoria way rejoicing, with some degree of prosperity, to-day with that suspending clause. No less than fifty seven cases came before the Society during the past year, and the time and As will be such by the advertisement in another | parience which have hid to be expended upon each time and patience it is from the curitably is undesirable there should be any further delay Dr. Hartigan's motion. disposed in this community who have money I propose to have a meeting to consider that to spire that one me a look for the funds Bill as it comes from the Sanitary Board on "All the Colouies" must naturally mean all the and I hope the appeal will not be made in vaio be convenient to the hope members—two o'clock accessary for carrying on the good work. Saturday next I do not know what hour would for the monetary assistance which is necessary or three? to help on our less fortunate brothers and sisters who mra stranded destilute on ngut ns. : With regard to the necounts I regrat

by electricity. The entertainment was so highly of such a useful. Security, but I hope it will time already. note would like to see stanling to the credit His Excentisher-They have had a long the Tung Wah Hospital requesting the Board notwithstanding the inconvenient site they current year. It is certainly not small be- other things as well, and knowing this Bill was for them a long and successful season on their of the Society, for I see that the working have partponed it to the last. cause of the expanses of the management to be considered by the Sanitary Board they wells recently closed. It had been certified by present visit. The show opension Box ng night or the past year amounted to the small His Excellency - Well, say Monday. su o of \$36.56. I should like to know if there cannot postpone it any further. Public report, a contemporary writes has been is another institution in Hougkoug parel d on on But it might be a seriou toutter for that they do not cast their b and upon the waters my return on the 22al Ostober the Bill how departure were to be saidenly sprang apon been very moch larger had it not been that for the have worked myself, I may say, very assidentially the height of buildings, several minor alterations them; so that it may be as well to state that sasisfance of one person alone the large and of at that Bill, and in order that there should be were made, and a new clause was added reading as in the Company's Offices at Bombay nothing \$320 had to be expended. You will observe from no idea that any delay is on my part, I think follows:—"Under special permission the Board the report that several ladies retire by r tition I am within the mark when I say that may if it see fit permit the construction of from the Committee, and some because they are Bill has been redrafted by myself and print buildings not in exact conformity with this rule." Says the China Gasette: -No hing better il. leaving the Colony. I am sure those ladies who ed six or seven times, each redraft being to In Section 14, giving the Board power to

Agreed.

has acquired disreputable characteristics. It is move a vote of thanks to the ladies for their in the place who have more regard to their pronow the practice to make large contracts for faithful services. They have given their best porty than to the health of the community. I am fature delivery ht a time when the crop is not thoughts to this work, and it has not been sorry to have to say it, but it is the fact. There only uncertain but when absolutely no opinion a light work. Looking into the merits of are men, on the other hand, who are very anxious can be for fied as to its outcome. An the new these cases it is the great task and I rejoice to for the welfare of the community and the health cil is fiet available until Ontober it is feared that see that there is one case on which \$300 was of the community, and I cannot help saying the parpels previously sold for shipment cannot be expended, because, when such a case is found to Sanitary Board seem to be doing, according to delivered. If this should turn out to be the case is come a case is common to be described in the case is common to be worthy it is a good thing to follow it up. their lights, the best they can in watching the Hongkong on "Workshop Practice," by Mr. Indisoriminate charity is to be condemned interests of the public in connection with this of material. Sales for shipment in Octoberpostors the Magistracy provides a place where the recommendations they make. But if this tered through the two billiard rooms, card room, where the Bill is to go on in this way, first going to one library, and general assembly room, where the from 5/7 to 6/ per 1b, while it is now easy to comfort and when desirable can be helped out man and then to another, and I am to keep on paper of the evening was to be read. The rooms obtain 9/ per ib. for available sto k. We can't of the colony. The growth of the Society will redrafting it. I can assure how members it will were lighted by electricity, and were very comstances a slight impetus would suffice to bring sary, and I feel that the sconer they are support of the Government in bringing that Bill assembly room, and the President, Mr. D. Gilknown in China that such large uncovered sales assisted by staying here the sounce they will ed afterwards let it be amended, but I do not want the speaker, said—Gentlemen, I think Mr. Kyles in the course of a few menths in addition to the I remember seeing a letter addressed to "The own minds. It is two months since the Bill was formation on this subject. I have had no opdown tar to start a kind of old mon's tavern and of every one, for a long time and has been you that he stands very high in my estimation. home in Nagasaki for retired seamon; a sort of published as read a first time more than two and I feel certain you will derive much useful charity grog shop as it turned on: to be on in months ago. vestigation. I hope this good work here will go on increasing and that the ladies will meet the heavier demands upon them, and for their past services I now take very great measure in

proposing a hearty vote of thanks. Mr. GRANVILLE SHARP seconded, and also enlogised the ladies for the excellent manuer in which they carried out the investigution of the multiplicity of cases coming b fore them. This sonoluded the basiness of the meeting-

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Legislative Jonucil was held - It was three-quarters-of-an-hour before esterday, There were present :-HIS EXCELLENCY the G vernor, Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON, K.C.M.G.

Hou. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Actiog Celonial Secretary. Hon. W. M. GOODMAN. Attorney-General. Hon. N. G. MITCHELL INN :8, Colonial

Trenauror. Hon. R. M. RUMSEY, Harbour Master. Hon. Ho Kar. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. Hon. E. R. BELILIOS, C.M.G.

Hon. A. MCCONACHIE.

Mr. J. G T. Buckus, Acting Clerk of ABSENT MENBER. HIS EXCELLENCY-I have excused the Director of Public Works from attendance at this

THE STAMP ORDINANCE. The Council resumed Committee on the Stamp Ordinance Amendment Bill. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-It will be within the recollection of your Excellency and that of the hon, members of Council that the Bill to beyond the areas referred to. The following amend the Stamp Ordinance was practically pused through emmittee at the last meeting, but article 29 was allowed a stand over, simply that I might have an opportunity of considering The principle was approved by hon, members and I think the wording will now carry out what I understood was the meaning of the Coun-

tion then to put it in words. I propose in sub section 4 that article 29 be amend das follows :-" By striking out the words and figures thereof and by substituting the words and figures follow. ing :- Policies or risk notes (insurance) for each copy and every renewal, (a) tife insurance (inchading interim receipts), (b) marine, bull risks for time, 25 cents for every \$1.0 to or part thereof insured; (c) all other insurances (fire, marine, or otherwise), where the amount insured does not exceed \$1,000, 10 cents, where it exceeds \$1,000. The annual meeting of the subscribers to the 25 cents. I think that will meet the approval-Hongkong Benevolent Society was held in the of the unefficial members. I understand they City Hall yesterday. The Hon. J. J. Keswick were of opinion last time that insurance should presided, and in addition to a number of ladies be taxed in that way. The only question was the

The COLONIAL TREASURER secon led. Carried.

The Council then resumed, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. THE TELEGRAPHIC MESSAGES BILL. Hon. A. McC NACHIE moved the third read

Hou. J. J. KESWICK seconded. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL - have only very side over this meeting. The work done by the recently, that is, within the last few hours, heard Ladies' Benevolent Society of Hongkong is of some opposition to this Bill, and that a one genwork that is in some degree names, but there themen would like to memorialise the Secretary and I think that I shall not have the least difficulty nestion, as the resords of the So. of State against it. Of course there is no desire in getting through any private work that is offered to ciety show, of the efficiency and usefulness of on the part of the Government to press the Bill the work which the Ladies' Committee so through the house with any haste that would be quietly and uncatentationaly carry on. The the means of any person being aggrieved, and Society, I believe has now been in existence I think possibly hen, members will agree with estimate correctly the amount of good it has who wish to memorialise the Scoretary of State an ences me. - I am, Sir, yours truly, done for the needy, just as we are unable to es. opportunity of doing se. I therefore move that timate the amount of suffering that exists. there be added a suspending clause to the Bill will be laid to-day at 4 p.m. Mrs Boyes has fallen off in any way during the past year, until the Governor notifies that it is Her Within the past twelve months persons of all | Majesty's pleasure not to dis dlaw the same. That nationalities have been relieved. There are will give any gentleman who wishes to do so those who have been stranded upon this far an opportunity of mamorialising the Secretary away spot without health, money, or friends, of State and at the same time prevent the Bill who have been obliged to come to this Society hanging fire. I think there is no reason why the Bill should not be real a third time and passed

The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded

The Bill was then read a third time and passed. | all he has now in hand. THE PUBLIC HEALTH BILL. HII EXCELLENCY-I mentioned just now that

How. Ho Kar - Two days after this ? His EXCELLENCY-Yes.

sidered the recommendations of the Permanent sides. Committee of the Sanitary Bourd, I considered | It was resolved that copies of the amendments The Rev. R F. Corbold then said-It the whole of the recommendations of the Rous- made in the Bill be forwarded to the members what was his surprise the other day to receive a is with great pleasure that I rise to move a log Comm tree, which sat and considered this and the Government, large packing case from Port Arthur containing vite of thanks to our worthy Chairman, Mr. matter very canefully and I then redraft d the Mr. Luich wished to make a motion to the the gun and everything else he had left behind. Keswick, for his constant and devoted help. Bil. It was then in the form in which per-effect that the owners of all houses outside the him, along with a pilite note from the new The work which we have in hand here is going sonally I should have thought it might have resumed area, closed during the plague epidemic Japanese harbour-master, saying that the writer on all over the world, and during the let twenty. been brought on, but at that point Mr. Chater by the Permanent Committee of the Sanitary desired to take the opinion of his conferent Board, should receive rent from the date of closebad found the articles there, and as the Japanese raised to the dignity of a solunce, and, from what the other naofficial members on the Bill. That ing till the date when the property was handed. did not wish to inconvenience foreigners in any I learn, the work of the Ladies' Benevolent must have been over a fortnight ago or more, back way be had taken the earliest opportuity of Society of Hougkough has also been raised to an Succe then back to the owner with his come equal dignity. We should all try to organize Sanitary Board in order that they might see the mittee had addressed a communication to the

The C. P. steamer Empress of Lidia arrived. effective way, and I think it is only by the help lug, and they seem to have had a very animated it was in order to bring forward the motion in Ta Mas-Chin Plane; presented; value \$ ... of that moderate expansion in the dollar value. of such men as Mr. Keswick that the work can debate upon it. But if the Bill is to go on in o unection with the consideration of this Bill. to effectively carried out. I therefore ask you this way, first to please the unofficial members. Mr. Large said that under the circumstances to pass a cordial vote of thanks for his valpable and then the Sanitary Board, and I am to be he would withdraw his motion. the unfortunate man to redraft it each time, I The Omaraman briefly acknowledged the venture to say it will never be passed. It is

> and for the class of vigorous able-bodied im- Health Bill, and I shall pay every attention to lected in the pleasant rooms of the Society scatnaturally attract more demands from the un never be passed at all. The time has come when deserving, and greater vigilance will be neces we should plead for argency, and I ask the made to understand that they cannot be on and carrying it through. If it has to be amend. Lies, called the meeting to order, and introducing lanve and the better it will be for all concerned. the represent to go on that we do not know our is very competent to give us much useful in-Women's Benevolent Society of Hongkong." first brought on, and I deprecate myself any portunity to look over his paper, but I have wherein a petition was made by some broken further delay at all. It has been in the hands known Mr. Kyles along time, and I can assure.

> > Saturday at two o'clook.

BONGKONG SANITARY BOARD.

A meeting of the Sanitary Board hold yesterday. There were present-Hon. L. Cooper, Vice-President, in the chair; Dr. Ayres, Colonial Surgeon; Mr. G. Horspool, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police; Dr. Hartigan, Mr. R. K. Leigh, and Mr.-H. Mo: Callum, Secretary,

MORTALITY STATISTICS.

The SECRETARY reported that the death-rate for the week anded 8th inst. was 20.1 as compar ed with 28.8 in the corresponding week of year. He added-The death from typhoid fever occurred in the Nethersole Hospital. Enqui ries are being made as to where the deceased came from, and the state of the dwelling in which she

The following minute was appended :-Dr Hartigan-Patient of mine; came from Canton straight to Hospital with fever.

INSPECTION OF HOUSE DRAINS. A letter was read from the Acting Colonial Secretary requesting, on behalf of the Governor that in the detailed inspection of house drains about to be undertaken by the Board the attention of the Inspectors might be directed in the first instance to these houses at present discharging their drainage into the Harbour within the areas recently reclaimed, or those in source of reclamation, so as to reader practicable as far as possible the connection of such house drains with the now sewers and the extension of their outfalls minutes were appended :-

Mr. R. K. Leigh-I certainly think that those which are in the Central District should be dealt with first in all matters of savitation. Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C. -I am sorry I can't agree. I think that until the outfalls of the new sewers are extended and completed it is desirable to keep as

much foscal matter out of these as possible. . The CHAIRMAN-I quite fail to understand what Mr. Francis meant when he wrote this minute. I think there is no question that the orntral district would be the better one to deal with first, and the sooner the drains are connected with the sewers the better. As regards foreal matter, it will be far easier to deal with in the small drains seross the reclamation than in the storm water drains. I move that the Board direct the Secretary to reply that effect will be given to this communication. Mr. LEIGH seconded.

THE ASSISTANT SANCTARY SURVEYOR, AND PRIVATE WORK. The following letter from Mr. E. A. Ram, the which will be duty automup d. He also annewly-appointed Assistant Sanitary Surveyor, acunced a dance for this (Friday) evening. was read :-

11th December, 1834. Sir, -In reply to your memo, of 10th inst., desiring to be informed as to the character of the work that propose to undertake and as to the extent to which my time will be taken up by it. I have the henour to inform you that the work I have in my mind to these goverally carried out by an architect and surveyor except that I shall not think of undertaking works of a purely sanitary nature, as house drains, &c., which might appear to clash with my public duties. The me without trenching upon official hours. As a matter of fact, it is not so much that I am anxious to get work just now, as that I am only anxions not to have to send away clients if they offer thomsolves. It is what my position will be four months hence very much more than what my position is now that infin-

EDWARD A. RAM. Appended were the following minutes :-Mr. J. J. Francis-I understood from the wording of Mr. Ram's first application that he had certain work in hand on which he was actually engaged and wanted permission to continue in charge of it. I do not think he can be permitted to take work of any hind while engaged by the Board. Dr. Ho Kai-Ingree with Mr. Francis.

Dr. Hartigan-I agree with Mr. Francis. to be allowed to keep the clients he has got. He keep the peace. may be thrown out of employment and have lost

Dr. HARTIGAN-I understand he is to be allowed to keep all he has got in hand, but that he on the China-Japan question and England's vestigation into all the circumstances, to find out remaining clauses of the Public Health Amend. The Chairman-It is quite contrary to all whether it is one which is worthy of the succour ment Bill not dealt with at their last meeting principles of this Board to allow its officers to anof the Society. But while the ladies of this life informed me they expected to pass the Bill dertake private work. Mr. Ram is already one of Society are always willing to give their to-day through the Sanitary Board, and as it the Paipingsban Commission surveyors. I second Carried.

APPOINTMENT OF INSPECTOES. Mr. LEIGH reported that the committee appointed to consider the applications for the six new appointments as Sanitary Inspectors had recommended six applicants to the Government. The SECRETARY stated that the Government had accepted the Committee's recommendations. THE POLLUTED WELL QUESTION.

A petition was read from the Directors of to reconsider its decision to close a well attached to the Man Mo temple

The CHAIRMAN said this was one of the worst the Government Analyst as tainted by impurities and injurious to health. Dr. HARTIGAN said he would oppose the

On the motion of the CHAIRMAN, seconded by the COLONIAL SURGEON, it was resolved to inform the patitioners that the Board could not entertain their request. THE SENIOR INSPECTOR'S BALARY

A letter from the Acting Colonial Secretary was read, stating that the Governor was i clined to favourably consider the proposed oreass to Inspector Germain's salary, but was un-THE PUBLIC HIALTH BILL

I sonsidered that report very carefully, I con- abutting on the earth on more than one of their L. lag.

pliments. Very graceful and very Japanese, matters so that the work shall be done in an shape it is likely to assume on the second read. Government on the subject. He did not think

The Board then adjourned. THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS.

PAPER ON WORKSHOP PRACTICE. On Wednesday evening a paper was read before

information from his remarks.

Mr. Kyles then read his paper, printed HIS EX ELLENOY adjourned the Council until copies of which had already been distributed among the audience, illustrating his remarks as he went along by patterns he had made himself and drawings of his own designing, and also by detailed descriptive explanations. His ideas were the practical common sense views of a thorough and experienced workman, and must have been of great value to his listeners. He discassed briefly the principal tools used by the enginaer in building and care of his machinery. and gave many practical hints for the workman that can only be learnt from a man who has passed through the long and severe discipline of years of intelligent practical work in a large admin anop. A very interesting illustration given by Mr. Kyles was a model be had built of a primitive lathe from the earliest ages. It was a revolving piece of wood fastened between two trees and worked with a fatboard, the return motion being effected by a lathe or young sapling stuck near by in the ground and bent over with a string fas'aned to the ravolving piece of wood. From the sapling or lathe was supposed to come the origin of the word lathe. The paper of Mr. Kyles was interesting throughout and

thoroughy practical, and was received with great The PRESIDENT theu said-Gentlemen, will be glad if any of you will take up this subsot and make some remarks on the paper read provements made in milling machin, a and we fixing the Contribution at £100,000 a year, has been at the rate of £144,000 a year. have introduced one in Kowloon which has given would terminate, and drew their attention to us great satisfaction and has added much to the the alteration in the situation which had since Kyles did not mention more fully the great as certain other factors

features of Mr. Kyles's paper and offered suggest to the possible necessity of reconsidering the con- Settlements; and who are only able to devote to tions based on their own experience relating to clusions arrived at and seemed to indicate the civil purposes about 36 per cent, of their Re-The PRESIDENT also added the benefit of his time further in order to observe what course the experience to the remarks of the other members, exchanges would take. It was, however, made on stude and shrinkage of castings on shafts.

the great interest taken by the members in these some immediate temporary relief in respect of sented to Parliament in 1891 (0.6,290) and in a papers and he hoped the interest would continue the rate of Contribution paid since 18 0 might further series of State papers, which will be prealruotion from these gatherings. He also annonneed that the next papers submitted would be in the following order:- " Propellers," by Mr Winterbuch "Running of Marine Engines and Boilers," by Mr. Brayley; " Radial Valve Grar," by Mr. Methregor; the dates of posed to relieve.

COLICE COURT 20th December.

BEFORE COMMANDER HASTINGS. DRUNK AND DISORDERLY. James Wilder, a private in the Rift, Brigade, was fined \$10 for intoxication, disorderly conduct, and trespass in Kowloon. -UNLAWFUL POSSESSION.

Chan Kum Lum, a trader, was fined \$25 for they have arrived at thereon. unlawful possession of two tests of opinio. OVERLOADING BOATS, . Li Chai Fut, San Wing, and Li Tin Hing were flued in sums amounting to \$14 for over- misl authorities have frequently been at issue as loading their bests with passengers,

PASSING COUNTERFRIT COIN. Chan Hung, a bricklayer, received six months'

fined for unlawful possession of opium; the first two to pay \$35 each and the last \$7.

Peer Bux, milkman, charged Sawan Khan, The Colonial Surgion-I think, as this is a bandsman of the if K. Regiment, with assault. state of things, and to place the question on a only a temporary appointment, Mr. Ram onglet Defendant was bound over in the sam of \$15 to more satisfactory footing. Whilst re-affirming

> stealing an opism pipe from than Wing. UNLIMPU HOOKING ON. Chan Kai was flund \$7 for attaching his boat to the steamer Lycompon while under way in the

AMOY RACES 1895.

The following is the programme of the Amoy Race Meeting to be held on Mond y, Tuesday, and Wednesday; 7th, 8th, and 9th January :-FIRST DAY, 7th January, CONSULAR CUP; presented; value 3100; for

trance 35. Seven furlongs. BIAL STAKES; of \$10 each with \$150 added LACING STARES, of \$10 each with \$100 added second pony \$5:); for all China ponies; weights as per scale; one mile and a half. HARRWAN CUP, presented; value Hk. Tle.

100; for all China ponies first raced as griffins at Amoy; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. One mile and a quarter. foodnow Cup; presented; value \$100; for all China ponies ; weights as per scale ; nutrance \$5: One and three quarters,

RACE COURSE PLATE; value \$ 00; 2ad pony \$25; for Amoy subscription wriffing of this season; winner of Trial Stakes or Hackwan Cop 5lbs, extra, or of both 7lbs, extra weights as por soule; entrance 35. One mile.

SECOND DAY, 8th January.

of two or more 10ths extra; previous nontrance \$5. Seven furlongs. CHALLENGE CUP, value \$250; a forerd entry for made good in later and more prosperous ones: Visitors' Cur; presented; value \$100; for all more trust a orthy forecast will be possible of the the other's decoy-call, and believed that a stately

this senson; weights as per scale; entrance other causes materially affecting the finercial mistake. The thicket was so dense that they 35. One mile and a quarter Exchange Plate; presented; value \$125, 2nd ment will not fail to take note of the altered situa. repeating the challenge from time to time; pony \$25; for all China penies; anbaer ption tion, and to consider any representation which neither perceived any difference to the natural griffins of this season allowed 5100; winners the Colony may make as regards the situation | challenge, and each still firmly believed that he at this meeting albs. extr. for each race won; generally, and especially as regards the enhanced was within a few paces of a real stag. At last weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Three payments for the later years of the present Prince Hohenlohe got tired of waiting and fired

One nile and a haif.

THIRD DAY, 9th January. LEDGER CUP; presented; value \$150; 2nd more lolbs, extra; weights as per soale; entrance \$5. One mile.

ponies il at raced as griffins at Affloy or Foo-7lbs.:extra, of two or more races 10lbs. extra; weights as per ecale; entrance \$5. Une mile and a quarter. LADIES' PURSE; prosented; for all ponies; to be ridden by residents of Amoy, Foochow or Cormosa; weights as per scale;

entrance 85. Once round and a distance. LOTTERY CUP; value \$100: 2nd pony \$25; for Amoy subscription griffing of this season; winners of a mile and a quarter race or over 5lbs. extra ; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. One mile and a half. CONSOLATION CUP: vilue \$100; second popy

soale; entrance \$5. Ona mile. HAMPION STARES: a forced outry of \$10 each for all winners at this meeting except Nil Desperandum Stakes; winners of two races \$15 extra. of more than two races \$30 extra; non-winners excluded; weights as per scale. One mile and a quarter. NIL DESPREANDUM STAKES: of \$5 pach, with

weights as per scule. Once round and a dis-THE STRAITS MILITARY

CONTRIBUTION. LORD RIP.JN'S DESPATCH. The following despatch from Lord Ripon has

been laid before the Legislative Conneil of the Straits Settlements: -DOWNING STREET.

6th November, 1894. Sir. I am new in a position to inform you by Mr. Kyles. . I am sure you will all be edified as to the Military Contribution of the Straits by what Mr. Kyles has said. I myself have ex. Settlements for the quinquennial period 1894.93. perienced in my time the unpleasant sensations | 2.—In May, 1893, I reminded my colleagues

sistance afforded to the engineer by hydraulie | 3.—It so happened that the termination of the appliances in handling great weights and do. first examination of the subject, then set on foot £500,000 for that period from the Colony, there ing work in a few hours that form rly took al. by Her Majesty's Ministers, coincided in point will still remain a charge of £273,650 to be borne Other members ther rose and discussed various recovered, in the value of silver, which pointed expediency of deferring a final decision for some plain that, for the quinquennial period 1894.98, Mr. KYLES was then heartily thanked for his | there must not only be an abandonment of the dwelling upon controversial matter. The ques-The President said he was pleased to see Contribution might be it creased in 1894, but that ability and mastery of detail in the Papara premore heavily than the Colony which it was pro-

> 4.-Unter these circumstances the Govern- Home Government, should a fuller assertion of ment, in the interests of the Colony, were, them appear reasonable on or after 1899-1 have justified in according the question a close and Me prolonged sorutiny, a scruting which has resulted in its being decided to give the finarcial relief to the Colony in the years 1894 and 1895 hereigafter detailed. I make these remarks, honanse I am aware that the delay in

anneaucing the decision of Her Majesty's Gevernment has given rise to much criticism in the Colony. 5.- I now proceed very brishe to set forth farewell to the first battallon of the Rifls Brigads. the situation which Her Majasty's Government The Rifle Brigade was commanded by Major have had before them, and the decision which

6.—Since the transfer of the Straits Settles ments from the control of the Indian to that of the Home Government, the home and the Colothe claims which the former is entitled to make upon the latter on account of the coat of its Garrison and its defences; with the practical hard labour for passing a connecesseit coin to Lo result that, while the cost of the Garrison increased, the contribution received from the colony decreased, so that the charge for the Military Cheang Ping, Im Sing, and Ng Wing were protection of the calony was an ever-increasing burden on the Home Government, a burden from which, in its view of the matter, it should have been who'ly relieved by the Colony. In 1889, the Government decided to put an end to this the principle, on which the transfer of the Sattlements was accepted by the Provernment in Juk Lum received 42 days hard labour for 1866, that it was entitled to look to the colony for the whole cost of its Garrison, it confined itself, as regarded the then current year and the four succeeding years, to a demand which amounted to an average chirge of £99 000 a year, that. is, £89,951 for 1849 and £100,000 for each succoeding year, plus \$3,000 per annum military lodging allowance for all five years, although the total estimated cost of the Garrison exceeded £136,000. An intimation was at the same time given that thereafter the Colony must expect that the charge on its Revenue would be enhanced. The latest returns of Colonial Revenue before the Government were those of 1883, which showed all China ponies; weights as per scale; en receipts amounting to \$3,858,909, whilst the Treasury rates of exchange for 1889 indicated that such a coutribution as was then demanded a forced entry for Amoy subscription griffins might probably by discharged by an annual of this season; first pony to receive 70 per payment of \$65 \,000 a pair, or about 17 per cent. 2nd 20 per cent. and 3rd 10 per cent. | ocat. of the blunial Revenue: In the event. weights as per scale. Three-quarters of a mile, it proved that the average annual Revenue was \$3,973,000, whilst the Military Contribution was discharged by an average payment of about 36 19 000, havelving a charge of a little over

In the latter mouths of that period, however, the conditions began to change so rapidly, in direction a verse to the Colony, that on examin ing them Har Majasty's Government came to the conclusion that the Straits Settlements had in the words used by Mr. Goschen in the House of Commons during the Debate of 1891." boome less able to bear the contribution" of £ 100,000 than AMOY STAKES; a forced entry of 310 each for they were, and that, in accordance with the underall ponies entered at this meeting; 1st pany to taking given by Mr. Gosolien, Her Majesty's receive 70 per cent, 2nd 20 per cent, and 3rd Government were bound to re-consider the queslo per cent; weights as per seals. One tien. But their view as to the ability of the service in the East and return to your native mile and a quarter.

Colony to bear the former charge must not be real about a service in the East and return to your native country, and I hope I shall there meet many of taken as applying further than to the immediate. future. A careful examination of all the facts COMPRADORES' CUP; presented; value \$100; relating to trade, shipping, population and re-2nd pony 325 : for Amoy subscription griffins venue, has by no means convinced the Governof this senson; winter of one cace 71bs. extru, ment that, taking the quinquential period 1894-98, as a whole, the Colony may not be able starters 71bs. extra; weights as per scale; en- to bear an average charge of £100,000 per annum -the amounts foreborne in earlier years being all Amoy and Formosa owned ponies, optional 8 .- They have, therefore, decided that the hoff and Prince Hohe lohe went together to to subscription griffing of this season; half en Colonial Military Contribution shall be reduced shoot stage, and agreed to decoy the animals by trance fees to the winner, natil the Cup is to £30,000 and £90,000 for the years 1894 and imitating their call on a special kind of horn. finally won, when the second pony shall receive 1895 respectively, and they have provisionally When they reached the limiting ground, therethe half entrance fees; to be won two couse- fixed the Postributions for the years 1896-97-98 fore, the two hunters separated, and, each accomoutive meetings by a pony or ponies, the bona at £100,000, £110,000, and £1.0,000. This are punied by a gamekeeper, went off in different fide property of the same owner or owners; rangement will give a sensible relief to the directions. During the course of the day they weights as per scale; entraces \$10. One mile. Colony for a years 1894-95, and during 1895 a unknowingly approached each other, and heard China poules; winner of Foochow Cup 7lbs | financial countitions that will probably rule the stag was b fore him. They, imitating as usual extra; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Two remainder of the quinquencial period.

16 per cent of the average Revenue.

7.-As regards the whole quinquennial period

therefore, the burden was slightly less operous

than that which the Government contemplated

pony \$25; for Amoy subscript on griffins of oheck to or diversion of trade, or lesses from ten paces of each other without perceiving their quiuquenulul period. In arriving at an immediate thrice rapidly in the direction where he believed The Greman Cup; presented; 2nd pony to decision on such a question as this the unexpected his game to stand. The first built glanced off the receive half the entrance fees; for all ponies cannot be taken into calculation in one direction cartridge belt of Baron Victinghoff, the supposed first raced as griffias at Amoy; weights as per or another, and, assuming that the conditions stag; the second struck his watch and sprang remain normal, and that there is a continuation off to a distance; the third fell dead from a

lat peny to receive 75 per cent. 2nd 25 per of the trade, which is already apparent. Her cent; for Amoy, Foochow and Formosa owned Majesty's Government entertain the belief that ponies; griffige at date of entry allowed 51bs.; the charge above proposed will prove to be a winner of a race at this meeting of 11 miles or reasonable one. The claim of £30,000 in respect quer 5|ba. extra, if of two such races 7|bs. of the current year, will be discharged by a payextre ; weights as par scale; entrance \$10. ment of about \$729,000, or about \$113.000 less than the sum authorised by the Colonial Esti-COAST CUP; presented; value \$100; 2nd pony mates and Appropriation Ordinauce. If in other - \$25; for Amoy subscription griffing of this respects the Estimates of the current year are BERNON; Winners 5lbs. extra for each race won; realised, the anticipated deficit of \$7.968 will be

previous non-atarters 71bs extra; weights as converted into a surplus of about \$105,000. par-stale; entrance \$5. Once round and a dis- 10 .- As regards the year 1895, I learn from you that the revenue (which has been materially increased by fresh taxation) is estimated approximately at \$3.950,000, and the civil charges on the expenditure side of the account, at about pony \$25; for all China ponies; winners at | 23,075,000. To those charges must be added the this meeting of one race 5lbs. extra, of two or Military Contribution of £90,000, which, at a probable exchange of about \$91 to the pound sterling would bring up the total civil, and FORMOSA CUR: presented : value 8 ..... for all military charge (excluding any sums voted by way of capital expenditure on barracks) to about chow; winners at this meeting of one race \$3,920,000, leaving an estimated surplus of

11.- I will not attempt to forecast in any detail the finances of the years beyond 1895, but Her Majesty's Government consider that they are not over-sanguine in anticipating that there will be a moderate increase, under various heads, in the receipts of each year, and that by a steady application of the principles of economy recently formulated by the Retrenchment Committee, the necessary civil charge may be kept down to something like \$3,000,000 a year. It seems, therefore, not too much to hope that the Colony may be able to provide for the Military Contribution \$25; for all beaten ponies that have rou and and all civil charges without incurring a deficit not won a race at this meeting; weights as per on the quinquennial period, and that there will even be a balance on the period as a whole, which balance, together with what remains of existing Colonial balances, the Colony may be able to devote to some extent to the construction of the new barrack accommodation, rendered necessary by the increased and concentrated Garrison of Singapore, for, as I need hardly explain, the obligation of the Colony in respect to Military 350 added; second pony \$25; for all beaten lands and buildings must, in the view of Her Amoy subscription grifflus of this season; Mojesty's Government, continue, as it bas explained in Lord Knutsford's despatch of the 13th of Pecember, 1889.

12.—Should the Colony prefer to provide for the capital expenditure on barrack accommodation by way of loau. Her Majesty's Government would not object to such an alternative mode of

13.-With regard to the actual cost of the Garrison, it may be as well that I should give the following explanation. In 1883 the Govarnment anticipated that the cost of the Garrison would be about £136,000 a year. As the Garrison has been usually under its establish. ment, and as purt of the expenditure has been in silver, it might be supposed that the actual of the decision of Her Majesty's Government charge would have fallen short of the estimate. i am informed, however, that the contrary was the cas, and that owing to the cost of sea he describes in working with the crude tools of of the fact that, with the year then correct, the estimated, the actual average cost, after comtransport and other items having been underother days. There have also been great im- arrangement, laid down by our prof cessors, verting the silver expanditure into starling,

14.—As regards the quinquennial period now current, the estimated annual expenditure on speed and officiency of our work. I am sorry Mr. occurred owing to the fall in exchange and the basis of an authorised strength of 1,570, in £154.730-en that, assuming the Home Government makes good its anticipation of receiving of time with a further sharp fall, since partially by the people of this country, who are much venue, as against 80 per cent. or more, so avail-

able at the Straits Settlements. 15.—In thus announcing to you the decisionhope entertained and expressed in 1889 that the tion has been already argued out with great properly be granted to the Colony. These con- sented to Parliament together with this despatch. clusions were especially disappointing at a time Itseems, therefore, superfluons for muto say more when Parliament was being asked to impose than that ther Majesty's Covernment desire to fresh taxation on almost all kinds and conditions | associate themselves with the statements of prinof persons in a community already texed much ciple and arguments set forth by Lord Kautsford in his various despatches, and that they reserve rights claimed by him on behalf of the

A FAREWELL TO THE RIFLE RRIGADE, AT CALCUTTA.

The troops in garrison at Calcutta paraded on the general parade ground on the "6th uit. as a Pomberton, in the unavoidable absence of Colonel St. Paul. The Brirade formed up in quarter column and advanced in review order, after which t was ordered to form three sides of a square, General Lance, advancing, addressed the Riff, Frigade to the following effect. He said :-Major Pemberton, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the 1st Buttalion Rifle Brigade,regret exceedingly that this is the last time that you will appear on a parade of the troops of the garrison, of which you have formed part for the last two years. On your first arrivalhere, coming as you did from a quiet station in the Himslayas, some irregularities took place which were soon checked. With this exception the conduct of the battalion has been soldierlike and orderly during its stay in Calcutta. ] have noticed with great satisfaction the strict. attention that has been paid at all times to ever detail of duty, and the general smertness observed by all ranks which has maintained the reputation of the army in Calcutta, among the residents of which there are many intelligent and observant critics who do not fail

to notice uny of our shortcomings. For myself I can say that neither here nor at Darjeeling, where the bonds of discipline are of macessity somewhat relaxed, have I ever seen in public a Riff man who was not soldierlike in his bearing, and who did not by the smartness of his turn at reflect credit on the army generally. The credit of this is due to Colonel St. Paul, whose absences from parade to-day I much regret, and to the officers by whom he has been so ably assisted; to the non-commissioned officers who have loyally earsied out his justructions, and to the pride that exists throughout all ranks in the reputation of the distinguished Regiment to which you belong. It is not ancommon among those. who have been long in the service to regret the rarity of old soldiers in the ranks; but if young soldiers oun display the steadiness and efficiency that exists in your Battalion, there is no fear that the British Army of to-day will, when called upon to do so, emulate the doeds of the older soldiers of past time. During this week you will embark for Hongkong, where it is still, possible that you may be engaged in operations of a more stirring and serious character than the contest of games in which you have born a good part during your stay here. Should this be the case, I am confident, that the reputation of your Regiment and of England is quite safe in your hands. On behalf of your comrades of all ranks, with whom you have served here, I'express the regret we feel at losing you. I offer you our bost wishes for your squosse in the future. I hope you will have a pleasant voyage to Hongkong and that after not too protracted a stay there, you will finish an honograble career of

> A STRANGE HUNTING ADVENTURE.

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IMITATION EXTRAORDINARY. The Dana Zeitung reports the following extraordinary hunting incident. Baron Victing. the heavy steps of the animal, noisily drew still 9.- : ould anexpected circumstances arise, hearer, and the imitation of sters and call. CHAASES CUP; presented; viles 3100; 2nd such as further material fall in silver, a serious was so well done that they finally arrived within cosition of the Colony, Her Majesty's Govern- could not see each other. They both stood still,

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Honglong, 14th December, 1894.

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Hongkong, 15th December, 1894.

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	DAY, the 22nd inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.  All Claims must be sent in to me on or before SATURDAY, the 22nd inst., or they will not be recognised.  All Damaged Packages will be agained on	FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  THE Company's Steamship	"GLENARTNEY." Captain Macgregor, will be despatched as above on or about the 29th December.  For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.	<b>s</b> n
	FRIDAY, the "Ist inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 17th December, 1894.  AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA.	Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 31st inst.  For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	Hongkong, 12th December, 1894   22Ro FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L.I.I. British 4 Musted back ALCIDES"	P0
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	having arrived. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.	AND BLACK SEA PORTS. ALEXANDRIA. MARSHILLES, LONDON, HAVRE, AND BORDEAUX. ALSO, PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.	The 8/3 L.L. American ship "WILLIAM J. BOTCH," Bray, Master, will leave on or about 25th January, 1895. For Freight, apply to	Will Na 8 8 Will
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FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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Hongkong, 13th December, 1894.

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Mongkong, 18th December, 1894. FOR NEW YORK. THE 8/3 L. American Ship

"LUCY A. NICKELS," Captain Nichols, expected and of December, will load for the above Port. For Freight, apply to SIEMSBEN & Co. Hongkong, 24th November, 1894,

VESSELS ON THE BERTH NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILEOAD COMPANIES.

PROPOSED SAILINGS TROM HONGKONG. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). SIKE .... | Tuesday ..... | Jan. 1. VICTORIA..... Tuesday ..... Jan. 22. TACOMA ..... | Tuesday ..... | Feb. 26. Six H ..... | Tuesday ..... | Mar. 19. VICTORIA ..... | Tuesday ..... | April 9. I HE Steamship

"81KH," Captain Jas. Rowley, sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 1st January, 1895, will proceed Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States

Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The Froight Agent, Northern Pacific Railmad, Tacoma, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day previous to

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG OCEANIC (via Nagasaki, WEDNESDAY, Jan. 9, 1895, at DAYLIGHT. Yekohama).... Attio (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo- | BATURDAY ... Jan. 26

kohama, and Hono-1895, at DAYLIGHT. lola.) ..... Kobe, Inland Sea, and WEDNESDAY ... Feb. 27, 1895, DAYLIGHT Yokohama).......

THE Steamship "OCEANIC" will be dispatched for SAN FRANCISCO, ma NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, and YOKOHAMA, on WEDNESDAY, the 9th (via Nagasaki, Kobe, (WEDNESDAY, Jan, JANUARY, 1895, at DAYLIGHT. Connection 16, at DAYLIGHT. being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai.

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timed to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

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O. L. GORHAM, Acting Agent.

Honykong 20th December, 1894. STEAM TO NATAL AND CAPE PORTS

THE NATAL DIRECT LINE PRON CALCUTTA (Messes. Bullard, King & Co.'s Line.)

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TING. SURGEON DENTIST. No. 10, D'AGUILAR STREET, TERMS VERY MODERATE, Consultation Free Hearkong, 23rd September, 1891.

VESSELS EXPECTED. THE AMERICAN MAIL. The P. M. steamer Poru, with the American mail of the 24th November, left Nagasaki on

Monday, the 17th inst., at 4 pm., and may be expected here on the 21st inst. The O. & O. steamer Oceanic, with the American mail. left Sau Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, and Nagazaki, on the The P. M. steamer City of Rin de Janeiro,

with the American mail, left San Francisco on the 18th inst. THE GERMAN MAIL. The N. D. L. steamer Gera. with the German mail of the 19th November, left Singapore on

Sunday, the 16th inst., and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 21st inst. THE FRENCH MAIL The M. M. steamer Natal, with the French to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, via Wednesday, the 19th inst., at 3 pm., and may SHANGHAL INLAND SEA, KOBE, and be expected here on or about Thursday, the 27th inst. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 17th Octoben THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

The D. & A. steamer Airtie, from Australia, left Port Darwin for this port on the 14th inst. MERCHANT STEAMERS. The steamer Breconshire left Singapore on 15th instant; and is due here on or about the

the 22nd inst. The N. G. I, steamer Bormida left Singapore for this port on the 20th inst., and may be expeoted here on the 28th inst. The N. P. steamer Sikh, arrived at Yokohama on the 13th inst, and sails for this port via The N. P. steamer Victoria left Tacoms on

Kobe on the 15th inst. the 12th inst. for Hongkong via Jepan porta. The China Mutual new steamer Copack, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the afternoon of the 2nd inst., and may be considered. due at Singapore on or about the 20th inst. The Cana Mutual steamer Colong, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Causion the afternoon of the 18th inst., and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 6th January.

The P. & O. extra steamer Java left Bombay for this port on the morning of the |3th inst. The P. & O. steamer Ceylon left London for this part on the 26th nit.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

"The Postal Guide for 1894, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory, P. XXI. This is the only anthorised complete . Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Heibow, Singapore, and Bangkok .- Per Phranang, to-day, the 21st inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Ancona, to day, the 21st inst. at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore and Calcutta .- Per Warren Hastings to-morrow, the 22nd inst., at 9.30

For Yokohama and Hiogo.—Per Aglaia, tomorrow, the 22nd inst, at 2.30 P.M. For Shanghai -- Per Nanyang, to-morrow the 22nd inst, at 3 80 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Fooshow.-Per Haitan, to-morrow, the 22nd inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Yokohama - Per Kara, on Monday, the 24th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, B.C., and Tacoma. - Per Sikh, on Tuesday, the

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French-Contract Packet Oans will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 26th Dec.,

1st. January, at 9.00 A.M.

Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing Passengers : who have paid full fare, re. the mails for Europe, &c., by the English and

discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does 8.00 A.M. Posting of Prices Current and Cir-Culars ceased. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles country by country, with the addresses all one way.

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 1.00 A.M. - Mail closes. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11,30 A.M.

after which hour they may be sent on beard with the same late fee.

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM. WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that the TENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be beld at the REGISTERED OFFICES of the Company, 33 and 40, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL,

on TelURSDAY, the 27th day of DECEMBER, at Noon, for the Purpose of Receiving the Report of the GRNEBAL MANAGERS with a Statement of Accounts for the Year Ending 30th NOVEMBEE, 1894.-The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd to the 29th instant, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hongkong, 17th December, 1894.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS IN accordance with Section 120 of the

Articles of Association the GENERAL AGENTS, with approval of the CONSULT. ING COMMITTEE, WILL on the 2nd JANUARY, 1895, ISSUE INTEREST WAR-RANTS of \$5 Per Share Payable at the HONG. KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION the same being at the Rate of 10 Per Cent per Annum on the paid up Capital of the Office for the year 1894. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 3lat instant, both days inclusive.

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KOK SING-WO. Proprietor of Chuen We. Hongkong, lat December, 1894. NOTICE.

BO ROWED from its, the Underwamed Furnished. OM INEY. But he, instead of discharging the Baths. said debts, laid a false charge against us at the Pun Yn Magistracy. We were thus compelled good tenant. to make a full Statement to the same Official in For further Particulars please apply to connection with the Loan, but, though summonses from the said Magistrate were constantly served on him, he failed to appear in the Court. . After Six Months the Magintrute was convinced that the said thus Affidavit was entirely false and that the debts incurred by him had remained unsettled for two years. So, in the winter of the Oth year of Kwang-su. His Worship gave indement that the premises belonging to the S.ROOMED FLAT, WARCHAL. said CHU in which business is now carried on under the style of Hung Wo. Pawabroker's Shop in Honam, should be sealed GODOWN, WANCHAL up and sold. "The value of the house was last estimated at Tls. 5:000 by competent arbitrators, and the purchaser was TAI SAN TONG. Now as the assets have been divided among the Creditors, namely, the ForETEN UNDER-NAMES HANKS, we hereby give notice that AT L. THE DEEDS OF THE PREMISES OF HUNG-WO have been ABROGATED and hope the people will be eareful not to pur-

chase the same. U WING HOP AIK TUK FUNG PO CHEUNG SHUN HING BING FAT SING SHUN UTAL U LOONG ro fund. TUNG WING KWAN YEE TUNG FAT

LAI LOONG of the Banking Guild at West Gute District. CANTON. Hongkong, 14th December, 1894.

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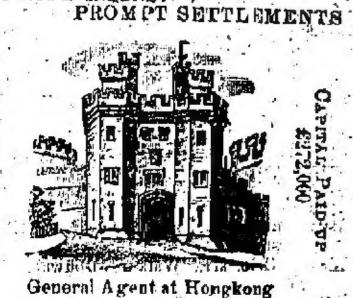
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HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S -HILS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON Molns, eruiser. 8 gan 7,000 b.p., Captain Grooms, at Shimkhai Alacrity, steel desp stot hour, -1 guns; 3, 180 h.p. Capt. Calla them, at Shanghai Archer, cruiser, 6 guns; 3,500 h.p.; Capt. Rogors at Shangbai Caroline, oruser, 1 1 ignes, 1.440 h.p., Capt. C. 31 N roock, at Shanghai Centurion, fl grain, 14 guns, 13,000 h.p., Com. MaQuhae, at Saides Crose nt. oraiser, 18 guns, 1,000 b.p., Com. Fred, W. Fisher, at Sydney. Dapline, gunbout, 8 guna, 2,000 h.p., Com. G. H MacArthur, at Nagasaki Edgar, erniser, 12 gans, 10,000 h.p., Com. V H. Hend rson, at Saddies blout-Com Reveniell, on Yaugters Phra Nang, British str., 1,021, Watton, Dec. 16, Firebrand, composite annihilat, 4 gins; 460 b.p., Lieut.-Com. G. Tufnell, at Newchwang Leander, ordiser, 10 guns, 5,500 b.p., Com. Met zi, at 3 ddles Linnet, gunboat, 5 gune, 1,050 b.p., Capt, Bearcroft, at Tient sin Meroury, cruiser, 13 guns, 7,390 b.p.; Capt. W. Fawkes, at Sid Het Peacock, gunbost, 6 guns, 1,200 h.p., Lieut. Com. L xton, at Shaughai Pigeon, wanbost, 6 gans, 1,200 h.n., Lieut.-Com. M. G. Cartwright, at Shanghai Pigmy, ganhast, & guns, 1,200 h.p., Lieut.-Com. H. A. Phillips, at Hankow Plover, gunboat, if guns, 1,20 h.p., Lieut. Com, F. C. B. Addington, at Yokohama Zafiro, British steamer, 675, Cobban, Nov. 21, Porpoise, steel torpe o orginer. 6 gans, 3,500 h.p., Com. C. L. Burr, at Shanghai Com. H. Cotasworth, at Bangkok Com, R. H. Johnston Stewart, at Hongkong C. G. May, at Shangbai

Rattler, composite g-ht., 6 rans, 1,200 h.p., Lieut. - . Redbreast, garbat, 6 gans, 1,200 h.p., Lient -Redpole, ganhoat, 5 gans, 1,200 h.p., Lieut.-Com. Severn, croiser, 12 gans, 6,000 h.p., Capt. R. F. H. Henderson, at Nagusaki Solonty torpedo mining launch, at Hougkons Spärtan, eruiser, 8 guns, 7,100 h.p., Com. Alfred L. Winston at Shanghai Swift, double-sore wave, 2 gnns, 1,010 h.p., Com. R. K. McAlpine, at Singapore I wash, double-sore w gun-ye-sal, I guns, 340 h.p., in reserve, at Houskong Undernated, erniser, 12 gans, 8,500 h.p., Capt. Hallifax, at Said'es Victor Emanuel, receiving ship, 20 gans, Commedore Boyes, at Hongkong green Hestings, troopship, Capt. H. A. Street, at Hongkony Wivern, turret irouels 1. 4, 1,450, in reserve, at Hongkong FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION. Admirat Kornitoff. Russesian arnivar. 26 gans. 8,260 h.p. Cow. Woult, at Nagasaki Ad. Nuchimoff, Russian ironalad, 32 guns, 9,500

h.p., Capt. Kashirininoff, at Yokohama Alenut, Russian gambout, 6 gans, 1,001 h.p., Capt. Elkisky, at Vladivostock Alexandrine, German craisse, 19 gaus, 2,800 h.p., Capt, Schmidt, at Shaughai liger. French ironalad, 8,728 b.p., 21 guns, Capt. A. Jaureginberry, at Nagamki Alliance, Amr. corv., Comd. Felix McCurley,\_ at Nagasaki Arcona, German cruiser, Capt. Hofmeier, at Aspie, French gunbont, I gans, Capt. Journet, at Bangkok Baltimore, Amr. flagshin, 15 gans, 6,500 h.p., Capt. B. F. Div. at Nagasaki Bayard, French flagshin, 38 gans, 8,500 h.p., Com Thousag, at Chaten Beautemos Beautre, French orainer, 12 grus, 3,500 h.p., Capt. Ternet, at Shanghai Bengo, Portuguese c. St., 400 h.n., Lieut.-Com. Carvalhosa d'Almeida, at Macun Bobre, Russian orgiser, 13 guns, 1,100 h.p., Capt Enkvist, at Vistivostnok Charleston, Amr. ordiser, 10 gams,: 7,500 h.p., Oapt. Coffin, at Negasaki Cometa, French gunhast. 4 guns, 437 h.p., Ca t. Mandet, at Shrughel-Concord, A perioan coniser, 6 guns, 1,820 h.p. Caut, Goodrich, Yangtsze Din, Portugues: guabilat, Capt. 1. Gomes, at Djigit, Russian orniser, 21 guns, 5,800 h.p., at Vindivostook Don Antonio de Ullos, Spanish orniser, 4 guns, at Shan that Juan de Austria, Spanish cruiser, 4 guns, Copt. Jose Padrigan, at Shan hai Duguey Trousa. Fre ob ornice, Capt. Courrejolles, at Yokohama Forfait. French oruiser, 12 gane, 3,500 k.p., Capt. Delort, at Kobe Gaidsmak, Ru sian ornivar, 9 guns, 3,500 h.p., at Vladivostock Iltis, German gamboat, 4 gams, 340 h.p., Capt. Ingenold, at Hankow Inconstant, French gunbook, 6 guns, 1,300 b.p., Capt Granier, at Shanghai fely, Fre ch iron lat, 23 guns, 8,690 h.p., at longkong Korevets, itussian grahast, 8 gnus, 1,826 h.p., l'apt, Filisoff, w Chemnino Kraysser, Russian corvette, Highra, 1,786 b.m. Capt. Hojestwensky, at Vladivo-took Lion. French geht., 4 gons, Capt. Unucast, at

Wachang, British a r , 801, Sutherland, Dec. 15, Lutin. French g-ht., 4 gane, 480 h.p., Com. Nepry, at Shanghai Manjour, Russian craiser. 7 gens, 2,000 h.p., Com, Andereeff at Korea Marin, German corvette, 15 gnns, 2.100 h.p., Capt, Kredner, al Shaughai, Marion, Amr. corvette, 5 guns, 1,970 h.p., Com. Gridley, at Yokohama Monopacy, Ame. againer, 6 guns, 1,740 h p . Com Impey, at Tientain Vayesdoik, Russian artiser, 9 gaps, 253 b.p., "ant Zarine at Viadivostock Vicolat L. Russian flagship, 10 gaus, 13,209 h.p.; at Vindirostock Pamiat Areva, Russian ironolad, 38 gans, 11,500 h.p., at Vladivostook Parcevel, Prenot orulear, 18 gans, 3,200 h.p., Capt. Fourest, t Japan Petrel, American gunbrut, 4 gans, 650 h.p., Lient-Com. W. H. Emory, at Newchwang Playler, French gunboat, A.gans, 500 h.p., at Banckok Rusboinick, Russian oraiser, 10 guns, 2.786 h.p., Capt. Zeloff, at Shanghai Rynda, Russian craiser, 16 gnus, 3,200 h.p.: Com Rimsky Kowakoff; at Yokohama Sila ch, Russian gunboat, 4 guns, 520 h.p., Orpt, Barronoff, at Vladivoslook Sivoutch, Russian oraiser, 13 guns, Capt. Astromoff, at Tientsin Bophie, German cruiser, Captain Herbing, at Nanking Triomphante, French frigate, 45 guns, 6,720 R.p., Capt. B. de Bretisel, at Salvon Umbria, Italian ordisor, 12 guns, 6,400 h.p., Capt. Bertelini, at Shanghai Vipère, French gunboat, 4 guns, 425 h.p., Capt. Constolle, at Banckok Vitias, Russian oruiser, 12 guns, 3,500 h.p.; Capt. Zarine: ashere Vladimir Monomach, Russian ironalad, 34 guns, 7500 h.p., at Vladivostock Vostock, Bus. g-bt. 4 guns, Com. Molchensky. at Madivostock Vascoadk, Russian orniser, 9 guns, 3,500 h.p., at Vladivostock Wolf, German gunbeat, 4 gune, 340 h.p., Lieut. Com. Kretechman, at Tientalo Yorktown, ame, oruser, Cept, Folger, at Yoko-

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